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In re Patent Application of:
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For: CONNECTING CONSTRUCTION FOR
COMPONENTS OF A SYSTEM FRAME,
COUPLING UNIT AND FRAMEWORK

Examiner: E. Garcia

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT RESPONSE/AMENDMENT AFTER
FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Response dated February 12, 2007 and the Final Office Action dated June 2, 2006, finally rejecting claims 16 and 19, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 10 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.